



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

#6

PLUB

12-26-01

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

NAKAJIMA

Group Art Unit: 2167

Appln. No.: 09/630,557

Examiner: Unknown

Filed: January 5, 2001

Title: ELECTRONIC SETTLEMENT SYSTEM, SETTLEMENT APPARATUS,
AND TERMINAL

* * * * *

November 29, 2001

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED
DEC 03 2001
Group 2100

Sir:

Attached is a Form PTO-1449 listing the enclosed documents.

This Information Disclosure Statement is intended to be in full compliance with the rules, but should the Examiner find any part of its required content to have been omitted, prompt notice to that effect is earnestly solicited, along with additional time under Rule 97(f) to enable Applicant to comply fully.

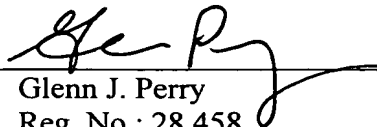
Should a first action on the merits of this application have been issued on the same day or before this Information Disclosure Statement is filed, please accept this Information Disclosure Statement under Rule 97(c) and charge the requisite Rule 17 (p) fee to our Deposit Account No. 03-3975, under Order No. 7874 / 271790, and proceed to consider this Information Disclosure Statement.

Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the herewith Form PTO-1449 with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP

609 along with an early Action on the merits of this application are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

PILLSBURY WINTROP LLP

By 
Glenn J. Perry
Reg. No.: 28,458
Tel. No.: (703) 905-2161
Fax No.: (703) 905-2500

GJP:sm
1600 Tysons Blvd.
McLean, VA 22102
(703) 905-2000



Atty.
Dkt. No.

M#

Client Ref.

271790

NI-0005PCTUS

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
BY APPLICANT**

Applicant: NAKAJIMA

Appln. No.: 09/630,557

Filing Date: January 5, 2001

Date: November 29, 2001

Page

1

of

1

Examiner: Unknown

Group Art Unit: 2167

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initials*		Document Number	Date MM/YYYY	Name (Family Name of First Inventor)	Class	Sub Class	Filing Date (if appropriate)
	AR	5,708,422	1/98	Blonder et al.	340	825.34	
	BR	5,986,565	11/99	Isaka	340	825.33	
	CR						
	DR						
	ER						
	FR						
	GR						
	HR						
	IR						
	JR						
	KR						
	LR						
	MR						
	NR						

RECEIVED
DEC 03 2001
Group 2100

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document Number	Date MM/YYYY	Country	Inventor Name	English Abstract		Translation Readily Available	
						Enclosed	No	Enclose	No
	OR								
	PR								
	QR								
	RR								
	SR								
	TR								
	UR								
	VR								
	WR								
	XR								

OTHER (Including in this order Author, Title, Periodical Name, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

	YR								
	ZR								
	AAR								
	BBR								
	CCR								
	DDR								

Examiner

Date Considered:

*EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP § 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.